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LETTER RESCINDING NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432 was issued (paper April 09, 2008), in patent application Serial Number 09/935,893.

The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to file a response to a "Final Office Action" (paper 10/22/2007).

However, the Notice of Abandonment was issued before the statutory period for response expired.

A response to the Notice of Abandonment was filed April 22, 2008, and has been associated with the application file. The response includes an amendment of claims after the "Final Office Action" (paper 10/22/2007) and a request for continued examination.

Accordingly, the response is considered timely and the Notice of Abandonment is, therefore, hereby RESCINDED.

Any inconvenience occasioned by the delay in associating the response with the application file is regretted.

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